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Junior High School Concert Enjoyed

The annual junior high school concert was held in the auditorium on Thursday and Friday evenings to capacity crowds.

As usual the high standards of previous years entertainment was ably upheld. The auditorium and stage were tastefully decorated.

Opening with "O Canada" the welcoming address was given by Linda DeCecco, president of the junior high school.

A Christmas pageant was enacted with angels, shepherds, the three wise men, and the grade nine girls choir under the direction of Mrs. G. Cousins.

Christmas carols were beautifully sung by the choir. These included O Come All Ye Faithful, Silent Night, The Angels Shepherds and Kings song, other appropriate songs. During the pageant Ken Radley read the Prophecy according to the Old Testament.

A well played and spirited duet the Hilarity March was played by Edna Yagos and Eleane Herford.

A group tap dance was then enjoyed by pupils of Mrs. C. Holck. They were accompanied by Cynthia Bond.

Two pieces on the accordian by Stephen Vrdoly were well enjoyed.

Jim Dibblee and Jerry Rayman as wife and husband, extolled the joys of married life to the amusement of the audience.

A spectacular display of baton twirling in complete darkness with the batons tipped with red and green lights was well carried out by Barbara Kwanie and Dorothy Binda.

Jim Montalenti, accompanied by Georgeann Pattinson, played a violin solo which was enjoyed.

A pantomime of an old Ford car was carried out with great amusement and many memories of similar incidents was recalled by this funny act.

Judy Holky, wearing a lovely white satin costume trimmed with sequins lanced a spirited tap.

A monologue on Little Bo-Peep by Gordon MacDonald was the high light of the evening, keeping everyone laughing for several minutes. It depicted a minister giving his weekly lesson. It was really well acted.

A very well acted play "For the Love of Mir" with each player playing his part excellently and naturally was really enjoyed.

Although a little long the actors really carried out their parts well and showed exactly what happens when each member of a family tries to cover up something.

The concert throughout was a well directed and acted out affair, showing the amount of work put into it by all involved.

Much credit is due to the participants in the various acts, the teachers for their work, the accompanists and the stage crew and prompters, all who worked together to produce a fine evening of entertainment.

The playing of The Queen brought a very enjoyable evening to a close.

Civil Servants Honor Branch 9 Queen Candidate

The queen candidate, Miss Shirley Morency for Branch No. 9 of the Civil Servant Association of Alberta, was honored at a social evening held in the Elks hall on Friday, December 6th.

She was a recent contestant for Miss Civil Service of Alberta, which was held in Edmonton November 23rd.

Miss Morency was presented with a gift in appreciation for her splendid effort by Mr. J. Hanrahan of the Department of Public Works and Mr. Dave Young of Coleman Collieries, on behalf of the members of Branch No. 9.

Invited guests included Mr. and Mrs. Dave Young, Mayor and Mrs. F. Abousaify and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gill of Branch 12, of Lethbridge.

Mr. Abousaify, mayor of Coleman, gave a short address praising the association and Miss Morency. Mrs. Helen Gill, who was Miss Morency's chaperone while she attended the Queen contest in Edmonton, also gave a brief talk.

A buffet supper and an evening of dancing was enjoyed by all.

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Coleman Grands Beat Fernie 8 to 3

The Coleman Grands defeated Fernie 8-3 last Saturday to move into third place behind Cranbrook, Slocan and Medicine Hat, who have each played four games.

Grands have played only two games, having lost one and won one.

In the opening period, the Grands pressed from the start but failed to score because of their hurried attempts. Meanwhile Fernie took full advantage of their scoring chances and went two goals up as Serafini and Joe Bossio dent-ed the twine.

Coleman came back to life quickly and goals by Scodellaro, Curia, Fraser and Resinger put them ahead to stay. The period ended with Coleman leading by a 4-2 margin.

The Grands kept up the pressure in the second and went further in front as Bosetti, Cerney and Filwich scored. The Grands looked far superior to the Fernie squad as the period ended with Coleman ahead 7-2.

The Grands extended their lead in the third period as Fraser scored, but this was nullified minute later when Ashmore scored to make the score 8-3 in favor of the Grands. The third period ended with Coleman ahead 8-3.

The Grands play their next game on Wednesday, December 18 at the Blairmore arena. This will be an exhibition game with the Fernie Rangers prior to Grand-playing for Great Falls this coming weekend to engage the Great Falls Americans in a two-game series.

The bus will leave Coleman for Great Falls on Friday, December 20 at 6 p.m. There is still room available for passengers.

The Grands' next home league game will be on Saturday, December 28th either at Coleman or at Blairmore. The Grands cannot afford to postpone this game as their funds are being depleted in traveling expenses.

Come out to the next league game and enjoy a good brand of hockey. The boys need your support.

W.M.S. of St. Paul's United Church Hold Meeting

The Women's Missionary Society of St. Paul's United Church held their annual meeting in the church on Thursday, December 12th. This took the form of a Christmas service in which each member took a part.

Mrs. Bond read a very interesting version of the other wise man which was enjoyed by all.

Mr. MacAuley very kindly showed slides of the work done by the missionary aid maintenance projects both in Canada and Europe where our work is progressing very favorably. But the harvest is great and the laborers are few.

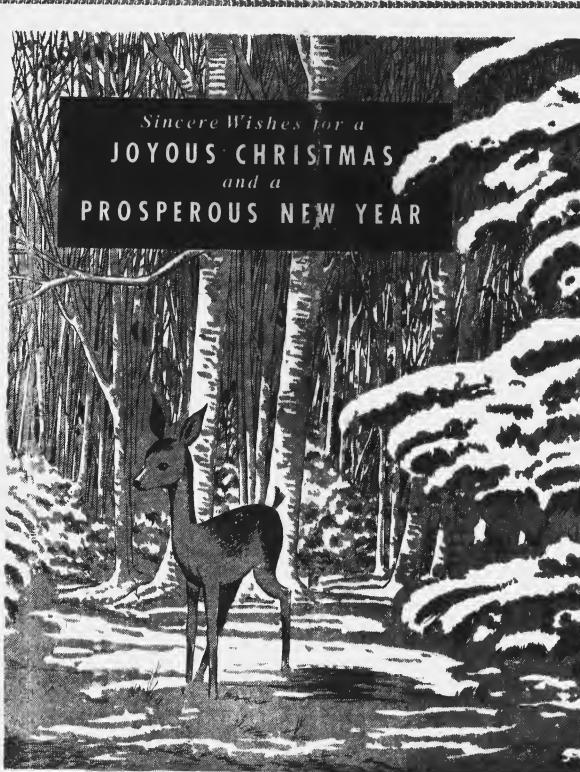
After the meeting was adjourned the ladies retired to the club room where a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses.

The forest protection laws of Quebec carry the heaviest penalties of any part of North America.

The short evening gown in beige chiffon with full, rippling skirt is one of the prettiest styles a woman can have in her wardrobe. And one of the most useful.

Positive experience in the cafe business are Mr. Lee Wing, Mr. Charlie Chong and Mr. Frank Lee. All of these men state that they hope they can service the people of Coleman as well as "Slim" has done in his years here.

The people of Coleman wish "Slim" and Paul a very merry Christmas and good wishes for their continued success in future.



THE COLEMAN JOURNAL STAFF and CARRIERS

Goodwill W. A. Hold Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Goodwill W. A. was held in the club room on Monday, December 9th, with a good attendance.

Mrs. Coover led the devotional after which the minutes of the last meeting followed by the treasurer's report which showed a good financial year, and we feel that much has been accomplished.

After all the reports were read the election of officers was called as follows:

Past president, Mrs. E. Owen.
President, Mrs. M. McQuarrie.
First vice-president, T. Ruston.
Second vice-president, T. Coover.
Recording secretary, M. McKinnon.

Treasurer, M. Johnson.
Devotional and corresponding secretary, N. Lowe.

Christian stewardship, Mrs. McAvay.

Press and supply, L. Rushton.
Community friendship, Mrs. Horner.

At this time Mrs. McKinnon, president of W. M. S. expressed a wish that the Women's Misionary Society join with the W. A. in the New Year owing to the loss of some of our members.

The Associate Helpers will still carry on as before.

A committee was formed comprising of Mrs. McKinnon, Mrs. Owen, Mrs. E. McAvay and Mrs. Rushton, whose duty it will be to present at each meeting a mission program so that we do not lose interest in our missionary work, which is a vital part of our church life.

After the meeting was adjourned husbands and friends were invited to a social hour during which games and contests were played, also some square dancing was indulged in. A very enjoyable lunch was served by the convenors. Mrs. Vera McQuarrie and all claimed it had been a very enjoyable evening.

The Coleman Youth Escape Death When Hit By Train

Lenord Birada along with two

friends from Blairmore narrowly escaped death last week when

COLEMAN MAY GET \$15,000,000 PLANT (Courtesy Lethbridge Herald - CP Service)

CALGARY, Alta. - The Alberta oil and gas conservation board's hearing of an application submitted by Westcoast Transmission Company Ltd., for a permit to purchase Alberta gas and deliver it to the British Columbia-Idaho border opened here.

First witness to testify was Dr. C. R. Hetherington, vice-president of Westcoast, who outlined the development of the existing Westcoast line from the Peace River area of Alberta and BC to Vancouver and the connecting point with the Pacific Northwest Pipeline on the B.C.-U.S. border.

SAVANNA FIELD

He also outlined Westcoast's plans to purchase "sour" gas from the northeast Calgary field and the Savanna Creek field.

The project would include a 30-inch pipeline to be built by Westcoast from the international boundary near Kingsgate, B.C., to the Alberta-British Columbia border, a distance of about 106 miles.

It would also include 43 miles of 20-inch pipe and 25.9 miles of 12-inch pipe.

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Cost of the Coleman plant is estimated at about 15 million dollars.

COLEMAN COLLIERIES' LANDMARK WIPE OUT IN RECENT FIRE

An old stable building now used as a warehouse by the Coleman Collieries was razed by fire recently. Cause of the fire is unknown as there were no electrical wires attached to the unheated building, which was locked.

The frame building about 40 by 50 feet in size was built many years ago and was formerly a stable for mine horses. Since horses were abandoned for mine work the large shed was used for a storage warehouse and contained a small amount of mine equipment, some of the Coleman rodeo booths, and other articles. Damage is estimated to be between \$1,500 and \$2,000. Insurance was carried.

The Coleman volunteer fire brigade and the Coleman Collieries'

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GREETINGS
to All

May all the joy
which comes from
the true spirit
of Christmas be
yours through all
the New Year.

Rudy's Shoe Store

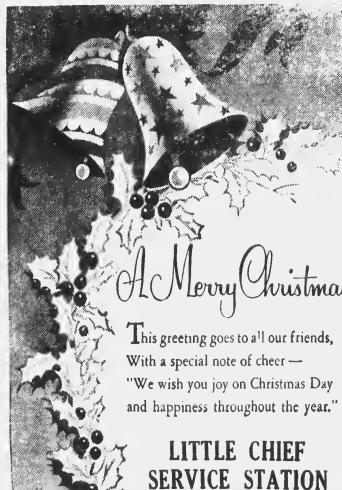
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Greetings

As "it came upon
a midnight clear,"
may the message of
Peace and Good Will
dwell in your hearts
at Christmas.

OFFICERS and MEMBERS of
Coleman Canadian Legion, Branch No. 9



This greeting goes to all our friends,
With a special note of cheer—
"We wish you joy on Christmas Day
and happiness throughout the year."

LITTLE CHIEF
SERVICE STATION



Coleman Hardware & Furniture Company

Willow Valley Trophy Club News

Judging for this year will be held in the Lundbreck hall, Lundbreck, Alberta, on the fourth day of January, 1958. Trophies for big game heads will be awarded to those who show the largest heads in sheep, goat, elk, moose and deer according to the Boone and Crockett scoring charts. Please note the deadline that big game heads for the entries will be accepted:

The deadline is January the 4th 1 p.m.—No Later!

It would be very much appreciated if those that have entries leave their game heads at the following points. This is very important as we are very limited as to time for judging these heads—

Wihman's Garage, Lundbreck.
J. Miln Massay-Harris dealer, at Pincher Creek.

Ed Sepea, Cowley Farm Equipment, Cowley.

Jerry's Sport Shop, Bellevue
Mr. Campbell (old police barracks), Blairmore.

Rudys Sport Shop, Coleman.
R. E. Quick, Fort Macleod.

Heads may be left at the above points any time up to 1:30 p.m. at which time they will be picked up on January 2nd and they must be accompanied with their proper tag, name of owner and date it was killed. Large heads will have their measurements forwarded to Boone and Crockett club of New York.

Again we would remind you that elk heads regardless of the date they were killed or by whom killed are eligible for the Grand Champion trophy. To be eligible for any trophies except Grand Champion a person must have become a member on or before the big game season opened. For the Grand Champion trophy a person may join at any time.

The Fish trophies and prizes will be awarded at the same day.

Grand Champion trophies for moose and goat are to be added this year to the deer, elk and sheep trophies so bring on the old heads.

A program will be arranged that we believe will be very interesting. Lunch will be served by the ladies of St. Martin's Church.

If any further information is required kindly phone Steve Kubaski, Cowley 1312, Secretary.

Welcome, everyone.
A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you.

The Willow Valley
Trophy Club

Children Enjoy Christmas Tree

Sunday afternoon over 180 children gathered in the Legion club rooms when a joint Christmas tree for members of the Legion and Ladies' Auxiliary children enjoyed their annual Christmas tree.

Films were enjoyed. Community singing to the accompaniment of Mrs. J. Sipeval was enjoyed while the children were waiting for Santa Claus to appear.

When Santa Claus arrived the rafters rang with joyous shouts by the children. Each child was presented to Santa and received a dime and a well-filled bag of treats.

Santa talked to all and made the usual promises to all. A special thanks is due to Santa Claus for his generosity to the children and for his handling of all so skillfully.

The children were then treated to hot dogs, pop and cookies.

Silence reigned for a few moments while each enjoyed their treats.

On leaving the clubrooms each child was given a box of ice cream.

Many little tummies would be protesting before the night was over we fear, but at least everyone was well satisfied with their day. Even the tired, hard-working committee voted it a success.

Elks Hold Turkey and Prize Bingo

A capacity crowd filled the Elks hall on Friday evening when the Elks Lodge held their turkey and prize bingo. The \$100 jackpot was not won.

The six number jackpot was not won either. This makes the jackpot \$54 at the next bingo.

Lucky prize winners for the evening were:

Turkey, F. Poch. Frank.
Chocolates, T. Sprak, Blairmore.

Children's table and chairs, Mrs. M. Ferano.

Turkey, Mrs. Bubnik.

Turkey, H. Flindley.

\$48—No winner.

\$25 cash, split by R. Yellga, Mrs. W. Roughend, W. Selgal, Bellevue, and S. Tarabula.

Turkey, Mrs. L. Moore.
Lamp, Mr. J. Brown.
Turkey, Mrs. N. Cyko.
Hostess chair, Mr. Babinak.
Turkey, S. Squarek, Bellevue.
Consolation winners were A. Kuhica and Mrs. R. Tonge. Jackpot consolation was split by E. Blas of Blairmore and Miss O. Goodwin of Fort Macleod.

Our Christmas Message

To our fine friends in the Pass area we send our greetings through the courtesy of The Coleman Journal. Once again we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, who came into our world to bring Peace and Joy to our hearts.

In the St. Luke's Gospel, chapter 2, 11th verse we read for unto you is born this day in the City of David, a Saviour — which is Christ the Lord.

We can bring many a message in thought and quotation from others. But is this the message from others? Will that satisfy lonely hearts. Many are discouraged today and depressed. So we turn to the real source of blessing.

Christ our Lord was born into just such a world, a free of trouble and darkness. He came to bring of trouble and darkness. He came to bring the only peace the world has ever known.

Why not turn this Christmas to the One who can give you this blessed assurance and so may the Lord bless you all this Christmas.

Envoy and Mrs. Saunders.

Attend Church

ST. PAUL'S United Church

— COLEMAN —
Rev. R. MacAulay, Minister
Sunday

10 a.m.—Church Service.

11:15 a.m.—Sunday School.

7 p.m.—Church Service.

Mondays 6 p.m. Intermediate C. G. I. T.

2nd Monday of Month.

7:30 p.m. Good Will Wo
men's Association.

3rd Monday of Month.

7:30 p.m. Men's Club.

Tuesdays: 7:30 p.m. Senior C. G. I. T.

4 p.m. Explorers.

Thursdays:

3:30 p.m. Mission Band.

6 p.m. Junior Choir.

1st Thursday of Month:

7:30 p.m. Senior Women's Group.

2nd Thursday of Month:

7:30 p.m. Women's Mis
sionary Society.

Fridays: 6 p.m. Tyros.

St. Alban's Church

COLEMAN
Rev. F. A. Dykes, B.A., B.D.
Rector

Sunday, December 22

9 a.m.—Holy Communion.

11 a.m.—Sunday School

7 p.m.—St. Alban's Sunday School and Choir will present the pageant "The First Christ
mas."

Fri., Dec. 24—Christmas Eve

Midnight Service of Holy Communion at 11:30 p.m.

Salvation Army Services

Officer in charge, Envoy F. Saunders.

Sunday services—

11 a.m.: Hollness meeting.

2:15 p.m.: Sunday School.

7:30 p.m.: Salvation meeting.

Tuesdays:

7:00 p.m.: Girls' sewing class.

11 and up.

Wednesdays:

4:00 p.m.: Brownies.

5:00 p.m.: Girls' hobby class, 8 to 11 years.

8:00 p.m.: Prayer meeting—ev
eryone welcome.

Thursdays:

6:30 p.m.: Scouts.

8:00 p.m.: Home League.

Fridays:

1:00 p.m.: Boys' hobby class, 8 to 11 years.

8:30 p.m.: Boys' hobby class, 11 years and up.

8:00 p.m.: Youth group.

The aim of forest management is to harvest trees and maintain the yield on a perpetual basis.

Plywood of 17 layers has suc
cessfully resisted a pressure of 20
tons to the square inch.



GRAND UNION HOTEL

Adam Wilson, Manager



To our customers and to our fellow merchants, to our friends and to strangers, we wish good fortune, happiness and good health.

F. M. Thompson Co.

BLAIRMORE, ALBERTA



Joy at Christmas

May the wonderful holiday spirit of
joy and peace be with you and
yours at Christmas time.

COLEMAN HOTEL

J. Bielsch, Manager



The Christmas wishes we send you are meant to last as long as the green of the evergreen.

And may it extend to
all those you love, too.

Coleman Insurance Agencies

R. R. Pattinson

TO ALL CITIZENS of the Crows Nest Pass



Season's Greetings

With the approach of Christmas, our thoughts revert gratefully to those whose good will and confidence we have learned to treasure throughout the years. It is to these old friends and our many new ones that we wish to extend our warmest wishes for a cheerful and joyous Christmas—a happy and prosperous New Year.

Coleman Collieries Limited

King Richard's Christmas Feasts

Once upon a medieval Yuletide, King Richard III of England celebrated at Litchfield—and during the festivities 2,000 oxen and 200 tons of wine were consumed.

Of course, the feudal set-up provided the great lords with the wherewithal for magnificence—tenants and kings received gifts from their nobles; and the graduated scale of giving and receiving was as well ascertained as the quiddam honorarium of any barrister or physician.

Queen Elizabeth received a large part of her ward robe as gifts from her courtiers, and if the quality or quantity were not satisfactory, the donors were unceremoniously informed of the situation.

When Henry III entertained a thousand knights, peers, and assorted nobles who came to attend the Yuletide marriage of the Princess Margaret, his majesty received a royal Christmas gift of 2,700 pounds, plus 900 fat oxen from the Archbishop of York.

With similar assistance, whether exhorted or given in the spirit of generosity appropriate to the season, his majesty could well afford to give Christmas feasts for the poor like the one given in Westminster Hall in 1248, which lasted a week.

Striving to outdo his predecessors and give his successors something to shoot at Henry VIII kept one Yuletide at which the cost of gold plate that was used amounted to 600 pounds alone. He had tents erected and artificial gardens plotted within the spacious hall of his palace. Knights came out of the tents to joust in tournaments and fantastically dressed dancers covered from head to foot with gay ribbon streamers emerged from the gardens to entertain the guests.

Preparations for the feasting on such occasions is perfectly appalling to epicures of the 20th century—and can only be vaguely comprehended by considering that Richard II normally employed 2,000 cooks to prepare food for the 10,000 persons who dined—irrespective of special feasting—at his expense every day.

Planning the turkey dinner

Panning a turkey dinner for Christmas? If you are, and you want to be sure it's a "good" bird when you place it on the festive table, then follow these tips in preparing that important part of your holiday meal.

Be sure all wing-tip feathers are removed. They may be pulled out easily by pressing the skin between the feathers down to the tips of the quill with the fore fingers of one hand and pulling the feathers straight out with the other.

The drum stick can also greatly be improved by pulling with a pair of pliers as many of the fine heavy tendons in each leg as possible.

Since your bird the easy way. Put a few teaspoons of rubbing alcohol in a jar lid, light, then rotate the turkey slowly over the flame. The bird should then be washed with soap in lukewarm water, using a scrub brush. Then rinse in clear water and dry.

Don't stuff the turkey until just before putting it into the oven. Three skewers should be used before closing the cavity and a square knot tied after each skewer so the lacing won't tighten. If there is not sufficient opening to let off steam the dressing will get soggy.

Abbreviation "Xmas" Is Of Greek Origin

There has been much unfavorable comment on the abbreviated form for Christmas, that is commonly used. Many think it inappropriate, undignified to use the shortened form "Xmas".

The explanation of its origin is that the initial letter of the Greek name for Christ is "X" and the coincidence of its cruciform shape led to an early adoption of this letter as the figure and symbol of Christ. "X" is frequently found on walls of the catacombs. When the early Christians wished to make a representation of the Trinity they would place either a cross or an "X" beside the name of the Father and the Holy Ghost. From this came the shortened form Xmas, instead of Christmas.

It requires about 40 years for a balsa forest to reach merchantable size.

At one time tuberculosis was the great scourge of the young. Women in their twenties were its chief victims. The picture has now changed. Deaths caused by tuberculosis are much more numerous among men than among women, and the greatest number of deaths among women from TB is in the 40-49 age group.

people compete in the oil business



Did you know there are more than 10,000 people engaged in the search for oil in Canada? We know it, because we run into plenty of them each time we try to lease promising oil lands.



Did you know there are hundreds of skilled chemists and engineers in Canada's 42 refineries? We know it, because our own technical people have to work hard to stay ahead of the others in producing better products at lower cost.



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Since your bird the easy way. Put a few teaspoons of rubbing alcohol in a jar lid, light, then rotate the turkey slowly over the flame. The bird should then be washed with soap in lukewarm water, using a scrub brush. Then rinse in clear water and dry.

Don't stuff the turkey until just before putting it into the oven. Three skewers should be used before closing the cavity and a square knot tied after each skewer so the lacing won't tighten. If there is not sufficient opening to let off steam the dressing will get soggy.

Abbreviation "Xmas" Is Of Greek Origin

There has been much unfavorable comment on the abbreviated form for Christmas, that is commonly used. Many think it inappropriate, undignified to use the shortened form "Xmas".

The explanation of its origin is that the initial letter of the Greek name for Christ is "X" and the coincidence of its cruciform shape led to an early adoption of this letter as the figure and symbol of Christ. "X" is frequently found on walls of the catacombs. When the early Christians wished to make a representation of the Trinity they would place either a cross or an "X" beside the name of the Father and the Holy Ghost. From this came the shortened form Xmas, instead of Christmas.

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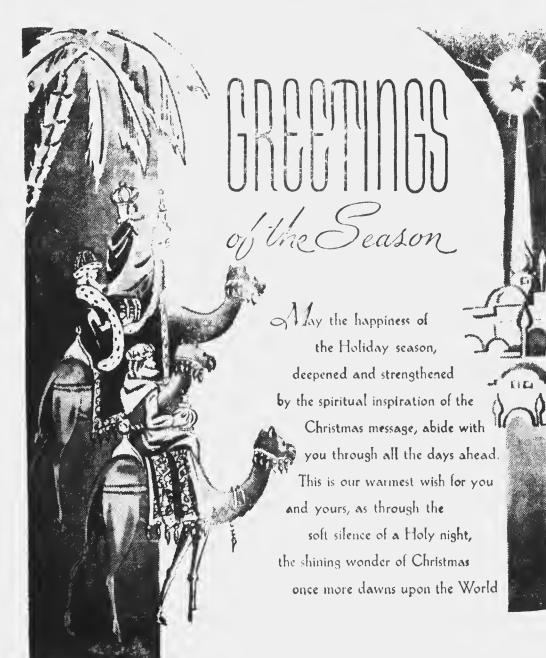
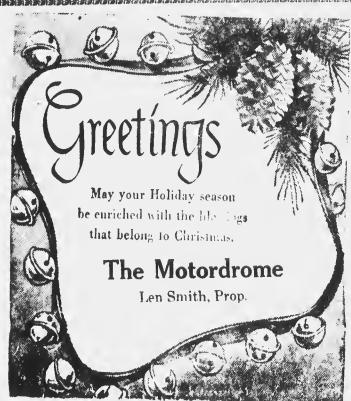
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Christmas Message (By Rev. D. Flemming)

For this day is born to you a Saviour, Who is Christ the Lord. (Luke 2, 11)

Who is this Child, Whose birth is celebrated at this season? Who is this tiny infant, Who is powerful enough to turn the thoughts of men in these times when "peace is raging" throughout the world, to the true concept of peace, as promised that night? His birth—"peace on earth to men of good-will?"

All appearances, He is a very ordinary Child, born of the very poorest of parents. Yet through the eyes of faith and of history, He is the most perfect Child ever. For the coming of this little one had been announced ages before, and by the prophets of the Old Testament. This is He, Whose life had been pre-typed in the lives of Abel and Isaac. This is He, whom angels were sent to announce.

This Child is God. We look next to the circumstances of His birth. And we see an "infant wrapped in swaddling clothes and laid in a manger." His worldly attendants are Shepherds and their flock. His home is stable. But His heavenly attendants—Angels. Why?—Because—

This Child is God.

Why is He not born in splendor and great pomp and ceremony? By human standards He should be born in God's ways and not our ways.

By the very circumstances of His birth, this Child teaches us to "cast from us all pride and arrogance. By the example of His birth time, He teaches us humility as opposed to love of honor; poverty as opposed to love of riches; mortification as opposed to love of pleasure, and perhaps more than all else. He reaches us the virtue of acceptance of the will of God. These truths, taught us at His birth, are Divine truths because this Child is God.

On Christmas morning, every Catholic priest is permitted to receive three-fold birth. First, Christ's eternal birth from God the Father, in Heaven. Second, His temporal birth from His Mother on earth, and third, His spiritual birth in our souls, by Grace.

The first two do not depend on us. The third does, and our collective cooperation is necessary if we are to obtain peace of mind, happiness and salvation of our

souls. If we are to attain the eternal rewards of Heaven, then Christ must be born into our lives. Because—

He is God.

God bless you and grant you a joyful and happy Christmas.

Group To Form New Society

Initial steps to relinquish control of the Alberta Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital to a private organization, were initiated at a meeting in the hospital's solarium recently.

The meeting, called by Mr. M. G. Graves, chairman of the Red Cross Hospital Board management, was attended by members of the Alberta Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital Board, representatives of other interested groups and interested individuals.

Purpose of the meeting was to form a new organization to negotiate for operation of the Alberta Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital.

The new organization adopted the name "Alberta Crippled Children's Hospital", and approved a group of proposed by-laws. The newly-organized group is to be registered under the Societies Act as a non-profit organization and a committee of five was appointed and empowered to take necessary steps for establishment of the Society.

Named to this committee were Mr. M. G. Graves, Mr. George Crawford, Mr. G. C. Lanaster, Mr. N. D. McDermid and Mr. John Stevens, all of Calgary.

Negotiations with the Red Cross will commence immediately and it is hoped will be completed before the end of the year.

Speaking briefly to the meeting, Mr. W. C. Bruce, Edmonton, president of the Alberta division of C. B. C. S. cited the reasons which had influenced Red Cross withdrawal from operation of the hospital.

These included the high and increasing hospital costs; the fact that Red Cross in Alberta was spending over \$200,000 more than was being contributed in the province; the increasing cost of providing free blood service on a national scale; the dangerously low level of Red Cross reserves available for disasters; the policy of Red Cross as an international organization, which does not include continued operation of a hospital of this type and government decisions to provide hospitalization.

Letters To The Editor

1964 Grenville Road,
Calgary, Alta.
Nov 26, 1957

Editor:
The Coleman Journal
Coleman, Alberta.

Dear Friend:

Recently I was in Eastern Canada and spent a week at Calais, Maine, U.S.A., with Rev. W. E. Brown, a former rector at the Coleman Church, 1942-46 during the years when I was the railway agent at Coleman.

Rev. Brown remembers his friends quite vividly of Coleman and has asked me to convey his greetings and best wishes to all of them.

I thought that the best way to do this would be to ask you to treat this for one of your news items.

Calais, Maine, U.S.A., is on the border only one mile from St. Stephen, New Brunswick, Canada, and it is a very historic and interesting community as their church and social activities extend on both sides of the border.

Rev. Brown has two churches St. Anne's of Calais, Maine and St. Luke's of Woodland, Maine, both old and well established parishes. Rev. and Mrs. Brown are both very happy in their work.

Kind regards to yourself
WALTER T. PITTIFOR

2435, 30th St. S. W.
Calgary, Alta.
Dear Mr. Holstead:

Enclosed you will find a money order to cover the renewal of our subscription for The Journal.

We are getting along fine but do miss Coleman and all our friends, and certainly enjoy reading about them in paper.

We like to take this opportunity to wish you and all our friends a Merry Christmas and Prosperous New Year.

Yours truly,
KARL GEJIOS

More than 90 per cent of tuberculosis in Canada is pulmonary tuberculosis, which is tuberculosis of the lungs, but the disease can attack all parts of the body.

CHRISTMAS Wishes



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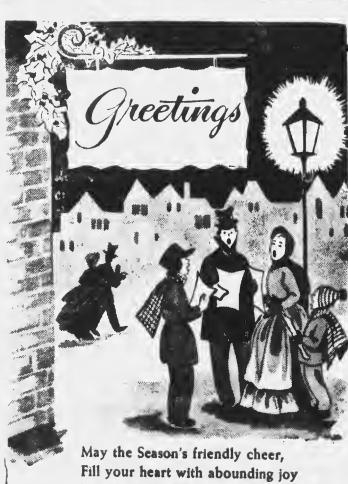


O, come all ye faithful...

May the peace and happiness symbolized by the Star of Christmas remain with you throughout the Holiday Season.

Frank Aboussafy

Main Street, Coleman



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Greetings

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Of Many Things

(By Ambrose Hills)

Dear Santa

It is about forty years since I've written you a letter. You may have forgotten it, but I haven't. It said: Please bring me the steam engine from Chamber's Hardware Store, the one with the red steam.

That letter is still in my mother's scrap-book.

You brought the engine, all right and it was my pride and joy, and it lasted me more than two years before it finally quit working.

You brought me lots of things that Christmas and the years that followed. Mixed candy and nuts, an orange in the toe of my stocking, candy sticks and checkers, cakes and hockey sticks, puzzles and prayer books, season's tickets to the skating rink and heaven knows what else. There are so many Christmas memories the piano, puddings, the turkey with bright red cranberry sauce, the hidden presents in the days before Christmas, the whispering

of course, Santa, I was very young in those days and I had no idea how expensive Christmas must have been for you. You never complained, and you seemed to enjoy filling our stockings at the foot of the bed - because one night you came to fill them before I really fell asleep, and I heard you chuckling. You had a chuckle like my father's.

Now that I'm older, with a family of five, I understand much better how Christmas hit your pocket-book. But I also understand why you didn't complain, why you wanted us to have all possible joys while we were young and innocent and full of wonder.

I'm glad you feel that way. Because some of the warmth and wonder stays with a man always even when Spudska splits around earth and nations scream at each other.

We know that you, dear Santa, are impervious to Spudska or RUMPS. You're made of love and sacrifice and kindness, the most indestructible qualities in the universe!

Love Came Down At Bethlehem

The Feast of Christmas has a unique appeal to all Christian men, women and children in whose hearts the light of faith has not been completely extinguished.

For Christmas recalls and reminds God's most attractive conurbation to the faith of mankind. It directs our attention once more to the obscure stable at Bethlehem where we shall find Mary and Joseph and the Babe lying in the manger.

Through centuries and one-half centuries an ever-increasing number of people from all corners of our earth have been making a pilgrimage in spirit to that manger on Christmas day, and in spite of the fact that men have always worshipped wealth, material comforts and panoply of power. Even if Christ had given us no other evidence of His Divinity, this fact alone would go far to prove that the Babe was born of Mary was in very truth the Son of God.

The birth of Christ is a cornerstone not only of Christian faith, but also of Christian love.

Those whose faith enables them to see God in the helpless infant in the manger cannot stifle the strong of love in their hearts towards that Divine Child.

We see there "one who though He was by nature God did not consider being equal to God a thing to cling to, but emptied Himself, taking the nature of a slave and being made like unto men" (Phil 2:7).

God presented Himself in the most appealing form, in order to draw all men to Himself. The manger was the beginning of the supreme act of love for men which was to go through the Cross.

Such a惊人的 act of love, intelligible to any human mind, must provoke a return of love in all but the most hardened hearts.

This is why Christmas enkindles a spark of devotion even in souls that have drifted far from their religious moorings. This is why many who do not make their communion regularly are always to be found at the midnight Eucharist.

This display of love for Christ overflows in evidence of fraternal charity. It sows itself in the efforts which men will make to be with their friends and relatives during this season, in the urge to shower gifts on those whom we love, and the custom of sending greetings to our acquaintances.

All this so-called "Christmas spirit" is meaningless except as an extension of our love for a Child "Who is God born in Bethlehem's Stable."

Rev. W. A. Dykes, B.A., B.D., Rector, Anglican Church of Canada in Coleman, Blairmore, Balfour.

Bicycle Control Vital to Safety

Bicycles are predominantly vehicles of youth, and, as such, are controlled by rash, unthinking drivers, warn the Canadian Highway Safety Conference.

Motorists who encounter these unpredictable flitting two-wheeler must always be on their guard. The parents of youngsters who own bicycles have a grave responsibility to instill in their free-wheel-

ing offspring the fact that no motorist wants to run down a cyclist, as well as the sense of responsibility required in the operation of such a vulnerable vehicle.

Motorists are puzzled, often annoyed, at the early attitudes of bicycling children. The appearance of a bicycle on a street, usually sudden and unexpected, is enough to make any driver tense.

Aware of the potential danger and the inevitable uncertainty of the cyclists' intentions, motorists will sound their horns to let the young ones know that traffic is near. So often the bicyclist will take offence, snarl a nasty word or two at the driver as though the motorist had no right to even exist, least of all to toot a warning.

"Don't be stupid," a cyclist says, you tend to your driving and I'll tend to mine."

The sooner a cyclist comes to realize that he is driving a vehicle, a light frail one at that, the greater the chance he stands of existence in this world of fast-growing traffic.

Tuberculosis is not inherited. It runs in families" because it is an infectious disease. Where one member of a family has contracted it others in the family are exposed to infection frequently and over long periods.



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W. KOVACH, M.L.A., ATTENDS GAME MEETING

The Fort Macleod Fish and Game Association held a banquet in the Palomino Dining Room on Friday, November 29th, under the chairmanship of President A. A. Nedow, and around 50 attended, including many of the representative officials of the Southern Alberta Associations.

Seated at the head table with President Nedow were W. Kovach, M.L.A.; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carr of Lethbridge; President of the Alberta Association with its Secretary, George Sparaco of Calgary; A. Osterberg and O. Lange, Presidents respectively of Lethbridge and Claresholm Fish and Game Associations; Robert Ault and his wife, chairman of the Alberta committee of Upland Game; Bruce Stewart, director of the Yukon Fish and Game Council; Secretary Plus Schaezel, and H. Bedingfield local members and others from outside points.

The addresses were highly informative and instructional, with suggestions for general improvements.

Opened with the Queen and the Benediction by Mr. Carr the Alberta president welcomed guests and told of the great number of meetings he has attended throughout the province during the year, and of the service the associations were rendering to all concerned.

He stressed the need for interesting the younger people in all branches of the sport, so that our wonderful heritage will be preserved and be of the utmost benefit for future generations.

Robert (Bob) Ault gave a report of conditions as he finds them with regard to upland game, saying there was a good hatch of ring-necked pheasants and sharp tail grouse, the latter, in his opinion, having increased in some areas to the point they are too thick for health reasons.

Mr. Ault claimed the present shooting season was not too satisfactory, especially with regard to pheasants. He said unless the cock:hen ratio is kept in proper balance too many cock birds actually cause a lowering of annual increase, as normally a cock will mate with five or six hens, but too many sub-adult cocks can cause fighting with consequent destroying of eggs and nests. The decrease in coyotes has contributed to the increase of upland game, together with favorable shooting seasons.

Mr. Ault advocates a split season, with a short open season around Christmas - New Years and as the intervening close season would allow the birds to become winter. The unfavorable pheasant situation at Brooks has arisen because the willow cover adjacent the canal has been destroyed through spraying with 2,4, D.

R. Osterberg, chairman of the committee for the Alberta convention being held in Lethbridge in February, was concerned with the apathetic attitude and seemingly lack of intelligent interest on behalf of the Fish and Game Associations exhibited by members of the Alberta government in general.

Mr. O. Lange of Claresholm brought best wishes from his Association.

Bruce Stewart, from the Yukon council, was delighted to be able to study the problems as they related to Alberta, and said he was to give a paper at the Dominion Fish and Game convention being held shortly in Montreal.

The guest speaker, William K. Cook, M.L.A., for Pincher Creek-Crows Nest, gave an outstanding address and as a native born Alabamian, stressed in an uncertain term his love for and concern of everything pertaining to the outdoor sports of fishing and hunting.

He said he felt rather a lone voice in a rather poorly informed atmosphere in the provincial legislature as far as practical interest was concerned by many members of the government, with regard to fish and game problems.

He inferred that while professional men undoubtedly had their proper place, more attention should be paid to the suggestions of practical sportsmen, as made through their Fish and Game associations.

Mr. Kovach believed that a Fish and Game Commission should be appointed whether of one or more men would be immaterial, and the present joint departments of Fish and Game and Lands and Mines should be split into two separate departments, as it is too much for one man to handle.

He was very much opposed to all the year round fishing that was adopted about six years ago, at which time he had questioned it, and only expected a three year

trial to be made.

Now there are many complaints

that too many fish are taken un-

der size, and as fishing is allowed

during the spawning season, much

harm is done in that way.

Mr. Kovach advocated a continua-

tion of the ban on crows and

cougars, though many in the leg-

islature had thought otherwise.

Talking in more general terms,

the Crows Nest Pass member

talked on the economy of the area

and said that while the govern-

ment had promised to help those

who were affected by the closing

of the mines and the smaller ore-

ries of those still operating, it was

difficult to assist many as the men

were mostly over 55 years of age.

The general tendency of large

timber operators to corner timber

berths to the detriment of the small

operator was explained by what

happened in the Dutch Creek block,

and Mr. Kovach advised the size

of the berths be limited so that

small operators could bid on them.

There were certain alterations

in some lakes, like Lee Lake and

Durand Lake, that could be made

that would improve the fishing in

them and at the same time in the

lakes into which they flow, and

this in turn would make added at-

tractions for the tourist as well

as help the local sportsman.

All Fish and Game Associations

needed to be strong, co-operate

with the provincial government fi-

nancially, and there was need for

more officials in the Fish and

Game branch.

In matters pertaining to big

game, Mr. Kovach said the zone-

boundaries need simpler clarifica-

tion in this part of the province.

Mr. Sparaco of Calgary, showed

two films "Olympic Alps" and "On

the North" and together with his

humorous remarks were very much

enjoyed.

Mr. Kovach said the earliest

figures were sacred - gods and an-

cestors images. These doll-like form

do not tax the delight of children,

but solemn religious figures that

preserved the tribe from

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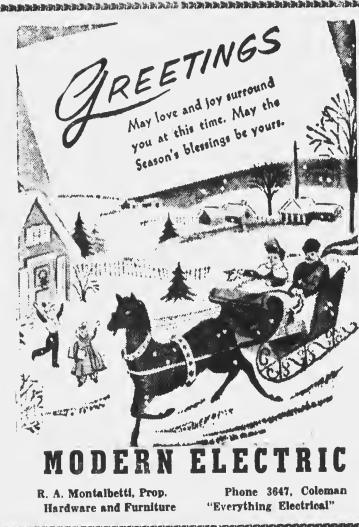
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Christmas Message (By Rev. R. McAuley)

Christmas is coming. I'm sure of it, because Denise and Linda have serenaded me sixteen times in the last two hours with "Away in the Manger".

Other little children will sing it again in many churches on Christmas morning. And listening to the refreshingly joyous notes of children's praises may well be the antidote to some of our adult cynicism and weariness at Christmas time.

Perhaps a miracle will happen, for we will hear the angels sing again in our hearts as we listen to the carols, and find that our hearts are once more capable of joyous praise to the Eternal.

But try singing, "Away in the Manger, No Crib for a Bed" and STOP THERE.

I read an appeal for the needy today, and till it was said that "Away in the Manger, No Crib for a Bed". Beside the wording there was a picture of a starving little boy from Korea. Underneath was a picture of a well-fed Canadian family opening the presents around the Christmas tree.

No one who believes in the goodness and kindness of Christ can be happy without sharing their happiness and goods with others, least of all at Christmas time. For the love of Christ and the love of man, give generously this Christmas to the many funds that provide beds and clothes and shelter for the needy, which help the blind and handicapped, and so a thousand things you are not there to do. Inasmuch as you did it not unto the least of these, you did it not unto Me."

And be kind to those with whom you come in personal contact. I remember with gratitude, as do countless others, being across a mighty ocean from my own home at Christmas, and being invited into another home. Not all the lonely and poor Some are separated from home, some have no home, some are the last of their generation. Some are lonely because hatred has replaced love in their lives, and they have left or been driven out of home. Make room in your life for all these, and Jesus Christ will also find room in the Inn of Your Life.

May you find the coming of the Christ a very real experience in your heart, not only this Christmas but (as the benedictions often end):

"Both now, and ever more, world without end. Amen."

Rod MacAulay.

New Central High School For Pass Urged At Meeting

FRANK The Crow's Nest Consolidated school district board held a meeting in the Frank school Tuesday evening when a delegation from the Blairstown Home and School Association was present to offer the board assistance in advertising and promoting a new central High School for the district. A lengthy discussion took place on the matter and it was disclosed that plans for several types of schools were in the possession of the board.

It was shown that a 16 room



Pep's Coffee Shop
Coleman

school would run in the neighborhood of \$259,365 of which amount the district would only have to pay \$48,200 while the government through grants would pay the other amount of \$261,800. With the government paying some 73 per cent of the cost of the building it was the opinion of both groups that there was no reason why the district should not have for its students a modern and much needed school. It was pointed out that much of the equipment in the present school would be utilized. It was also stated that each year some \$20,000 was being spent repairing the schools at Blairstown and Bellevue.

Taking advantage of such an excellent opportunity over a period of twenty years it was felt that such a venture would only increase the mill rate by about three mills. Further meetings and discussions will be held on this matter.

Reminder From The R.C.M.P.

The Journal has been asked by the local RCMP detachment to publish the following in the hope that you will never have to use it but should an offence be committed on your property you can help the police by answering the questions asked below under "Descriptive Points". Study them so you will know how you can help.

If you are victimized first notify the police then answer the questions herein while the information is fresh in your memory.

Descriptive Points:

- 1—Racial origin; 2—apparent age; 3—height; 4—weight; 5—complexion; 6—hair, color and type; 7—color of eyes; 8—hair on face; 9—Scars or tattoos; 10—jewelry worn—watch or rings; 11—hat or cap, color and type; 12—tie and shirt colors; 13—clothing worn, color and type; 14—shoes, color and type; 15—speech, any accent; 16—kind of gun used; 17—any names used between bandits; 18—any other physical peculiarity.

For police telephone 2111.

Repairs Pushed In Pass

(Courtesy Lethbridge Herald) Approximately 150 men are at work in the Crow's Nest Pass region at the present time repairing damage to power and telephone lines and buildings caused by last Sunday's 109-mile-an-hour hurricane.

Most of the men will be at work at least until the weekend.

MAN CREWS OUT

East Kootenay Power has 18 men and six trucks working, Calgary Power has 15 men and five trucks and the Alberta Government Telephones has 15 men and five trucks.

Five independent contractors in the district have approximately 100 men working repairing damaged buildings, replacing window panes and clearing debris left by the big wind.

Robert Munson, district supervisor for Calgary Power, said today that the 15 men and five trucks working mostly in the Bellevue and Hillcrest districts repairing low voltage service lines are costing his company approximately \$250 an hour, plus materials used.

East Kootenay Power crews are repairing mostly high voltage lines. Mac Dunn, district superintendent for the Alberta Government Telephones, said that all telephone lines have now been temporarily repaired, but permanent repair work will be carried out for the next several days.

DAMAGE HITS \$50,000

Estimates of total damage caused by the hurricane in the Crow's Nest Pass have now exceeded the \$50,000 mark.

William Harvey, a hardware merchant at Bellevue, said today that over \$5,000 damage was caused in a warehouse of his by the storm. He stated that the force of the hurricane picked up a chair and hurled it about 60 feet inside the damaged warehouse.

Heavy Fines Shooting Out Of Season

BLAIRMORE — Frank Joseph Petras, formerly of Blairstown and Ronnia Clinton McLeod, both of Canmore, appeared before Magistrate F. S. Radford of Blairstown this week on charges of shooting a doe and two fawns out of season. Both men, each charged on two counts, pleaded guilty and were fined \$400 and costs or in default of payment five months in jail. The fines were paid.

Evidence indicated that on Saturday, Dec. 7, the men shot a doe.

and two fawns in the Maycroft area. One of the fawns was left in the bush. The doe and fawn were hidden in a culvert some four or five miles north of Burns. It is assumed the men were going to return to recover the carcasses later in the evening. The two men were arrested en route to Blairmore and were tried on Monday.

No Slumber Songs Needed by Scots On New Year's Eve

Nobody goes to bed in Scotland on December 31. There are too many other things to do.

It is a great night for the youths who reminiscent of ancient superstitions, go about switching the trunks of fruit trees and petitioning the gods of fertility for a "good howling crop."

Before the advent of modern plumbing, teen-agers made quite a fuss about the "cream of the year", which was the first draught

drawn from the nearest spring immediately after midnight and supposedly entitled the drinker to anticipate a "lucky" year.

The Wassail Bowl is, of course, the center of adult festivities. Its origin is lost in antiquity, but tradition has endowed the Wassail Bowl with legendary romance. It is ornamental in design and decorated with branches of greenery. The mixture within is warm and sweet, and wine is sometimes added to the ale and sugar and spices.

After having enjoyed the concoction within the home among intimates at the stroke of midnight, the Scots pile into wagons or sleighs with kettles full of the Wassail buns, cheese and other food and set out to tour the community. The party stops at various houses and the refreshments go 'round at each stop. Nobody pays the least attention to the approaching dawn, because nobody goes to bed on New Year's Eve anyway.

Merry CHRISTMAS

The approaching Holiday Season gives us an opportunity to remember friends who remember us the year around. Your co-operation has been appreciated, and we hope that throughout the coming year we will be able to serve you even better. May all the joys of the season be yours. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Coleman Cash Grocery

J. M. Allan and Staff



Freeman's Ltd.

Department Store Main Street, Coleman



KANANASKIS SERVICE STATION

Jack Nelson, Proprietor



Roxy Theatre

A Famous Players Affiliate
Show Times—Monday to Friday, 1 show, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday at 2 p.m., 7 p.m. and 9 p.m.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

Saturday and Monday, December 21st and 23rd



Admission 65c, 35c and 30

Matinee Saturday at 2 p.m.

with Chapter No. 15 of Serial "JUNGLE RAIDER" at Matinee Only.

No Show Christmas Eve, December 24th

Wednesday Only, December 25th



FREE Show on Thurs., Dec. 26th, at 2 p.m.

For all children up to and including Grade 9 Sponsored by the COLEMAN U. M. W. of A.

Thursday and Friday, December 26th and 27th



Admission 65c, 35c and 30

Saturday and Monday, December 28th and 30th



Matinee Saturday at 2 p.m.

with Chapter No. 16 of Serial "JUNGLE RAIDER"

Tuesday and Wednesday, December 31st and Jan. 1st



THE ROXY MANAGER and STAFF
—LET US SOLVE THAT GIFT PROBLEM
Buy HIM or HER a BOOK OF THEATRE TICKETS

Personalities IN THE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Colwell were recent Calgary visitors, they were accompanied by Mrs. H. W. Clark who will visit her son and daughter-in law Mr. and Mrs. Harry-Wilton Clark for several weeks.

Don't forget the Turkey Bingo which will be held in the Legion Clubrooms on Friday evening Dec. 20th. 9 Turkeys and Jackpot. The door prize will be a nice big chicken. Guest Night. Come and bring a friend.

Mrs. E. Derbyshire and youngest daughter left for Winnipeg where they will join her husband who is employed in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hardy were weekend visitors at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Olynyk at Cranbrook.

First Coleman Cub Pack News

Column by Kenneth Murdoch

One test nearly every cub should pass is the Lord Baden Powell story. As you know he was the man who started cubs and scouts. He was born Feb. 22nd 1857 in London England. When he was only three his father died leaving his mother with seven children all under the age of fourteen. He loved the great outdoors where he and his brothers would go camping. He went to Charter house school but wasn't very brilliant. He joined the army and attained the rank of Maj. General. He was trapped from Oct. 13th 1889 to May 18th 1900 with a small band of soldiers against a large band of Boers during the Boer War.

Baden Powell wanted to do something for the boys of England so in 1907 he made a camp for boys on Brownsea Island off the English coast. This was the first scout camp.

His scouting empire spread all over the world until there are now six million cubs and scouts. He died on Jan. 8th 1941 at the age of 84.

The past rally held in Lethbridge was to celebrate fifty years of scouting and one hundred and five years since his birth.

Christmas Pageant

The children of St. Alban's Anglican Church, Coleman, will give their third annual presentation of the Pageant—The First Christmas" in place of the usual Church service at 7 p.m. on Sunday, December 22nd in St. Alban's Church.

The Pageant will be acted out by the children of the Sunday School and the special music will be provided by the junior choir.

This is a moving portrayal of the Christmas story and its meaning. Every one is welcome to attend.

As the Chinese use brushes for writing letters they prefer a softer letter-sheet than Canadians.

Classified Ads

WANTED
Assistant Secretary-Treasurer for the Town of Pincher Creek, full time. Reply in own hand writing, state age, experience, salary expected, etc. Supply references. Apply to C. B. Ross, Secretary-Treasurer, Pincher Creek, Alberta.

EDUCATIONAL
LEARN HAIRDRESSING, WOMEN WANTED. Greater opportunity—Better Pay — Pleasant work. Catalogue Free. Write Marvel Hairdressing Schools, 326A—8th Ave. W., Calgary. Branches: Edmonton, Regina, Saskatoon and Winnipeg. — Canada's National System.

Lions Sponsor Christmas Tree

Christmas has come to The Canadian Bank of Commerce in a big way this year.

A tremendous sized Christmas tree, very prettily and extravagantly decorated, occupies practically half the public lobby. As last year the Bank, under the sponsorship of the Coleman Lions Club, is allowing its tree to be used as a repository for Christmas gifts to the needy children of our town.

Unemployment this year in this area is greater than last and by you, the reader's help, it will be

possible to make a lot of children happy who might quite well be bitterly disappointed in Santa Claus this year.

Toys for all ages and sex are required, either new or used. Please wrap them up and designate them girl or boy with age group.

For those who prefer to give cash there is a receptacle by the Bank door, put in your coin and hear the musical "thank you".

Your immediate response to the Coleman Lions Club appeal will be deeply appreciated by them and certainly help to establish Santa Claus more firmly in the minds of our young people.

St. John Ambulance Association's Annual

NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE

on

Tues., December 31, 1957

Dancing from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m.

in the

Elks Hall, Coleman

DOOR PRIZES — FOUR \$5.00 CHEQUES

Admission: Per Person \$1.00

Canadian Legion, Coleman Branch No. 9

TURKEY

BINGO

IN THE

Legion Clubrooms

ON

Fri., Dec. 20

AT 8 p.m. SHARP

Admission - 75c for 10 Games

BONUS CARDS 25c

Nine Turkeys

\$35.00 Jackpot in 56 Numbers

AND FREE DOOR PRIZE

MEMBERS BRING A GUEST

COLEMAN ELKS

Prize and Turkey

BINGO

IN THE

Elk's Hall, Coleman

ON

Fri., Dec. 27

AT 8 p.m. SHARP

Admission, 13 Games - \$1.00

BONUS CARDS 25c

Ten Lovely Prizes

\$110.00 Jackpot in 58 Numbers

\$25.00 Cash Prize

Special Jackpot - 6 Number Bingo

(\$5.00 to go in 6 Numbers)

Anyone Playing Bingo must have an Admission Card

AMPLE PARKING SPACE IN LOT AT THE

REAR OF THE BUILDING